

# photo contest!

ST. MARKS REFUGE ASSOCIATION

invites you to celebrate the

CENTENNIAL of the NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE SYSTEM

Entries due  
March 14,  
2003

WHAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR: Your best photos of the St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: **March 14, 2003**

All entries must be RECEIVED by the St. Marks Refuge Association by this date.

PRIZES: The winning photo will be printed on the annual St. Marks Refuge pass. Private half-day photo trip with retired Refuge manager Joe White. Gift certificates for the St. Marks Refuge Bookstore, the Canoe Shop, Tallahassee Camera & Image, and boarding passes for the Sea House One.

Each photo submitted must have been taken on or of the St. Marks National Wildlife Refuge by the person who enters it in the contest.

All judging decisions are final. Judges reserve the right to split the entries into categories.

Format: **Prints only.** Every photo entered must have a completed entry form firmly fastened to the back. See next page of this flyer for entry form. No frames or mats, please. Size: at least one dimension must be 8 inches. **NO ENTRIES WILL BE RETURNED.** Please do not send your only copy of a photograph. Prints must be mounted on stiff backing (heavy cardboard or foamboard, for instance). WE CANNOT ACCEPT ELECTRONIC SUBMISSIONS.

Mail entries to: Photo Contest, St. Marks Refuge Association, P.O. Box 368, St. Marks, FL 32355 or deliver them to the Visitors Center at the Refuge. Questions? call (850) 926-7934 or e-mail [turtlewing@earthlink.net](mailto:turtlewing@earthlink.net) (do not e-mail photos!).

All rights of ownership remain with the photographer. By entering, you grant to the St. Marks Refuge Association: (1) one-time use of any or all of your entries without compensation (but with credit to you, of course) and (2) permission to post your entries on the web (with credit, naturally).

Winners will be notified by mail or by e-mail in early April 2003. If such notification is undeliverable for any reason, or if the winner does not respond within 7 days after the message is sent, the prize will be awarded to an alternate winner.

The Small Print: Void where prohibited. Contest is open to legal residents of the United States and the District of Columbia. All federal, state, and local laws apply. Each entrant warrants the originality of each entry submitted by him/her and warrants that he/she owns all rights in each such entry. Submission of an entry form or photograph is evidence of entrant's agreement with and acceptance of these rules and regulations. Contestants will be responsible for obtaining and submitting to the SMRA releases of all identifiable persons appearing in winning photographs. The St. Marks Refuge Association is not responsible for lost or damaged entries.

ENTRY FORM  
ST. MARKS REFUGE ASSOCIATION CENTENNIAL PHOTO CONTEST

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

telephone number (daytime)/ (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Photo title \_\_\_\_\_

Where and when it was taken \_\_\_\_\_

I am:

\_\_\_Amateur or \_\_\_Professional (you derive 5% or more of your annual income from taking photographs)

\_\_\_U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service employee or member of employee's household or SMRA board member or member of board member's household (you are welcome to enter but are not eligible for prizes)

I have read and I agree to the contest rules.

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU ARE UNDER 18 YEARS OLD, YOUR PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING:

Name of a parent/legal guardian (PLEASE PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime phone number with area code \_\_\_\_\_

Evening phone number with area code \_\_\_\_\_

I am the parent/legal guardian of (name of entrant) \_\_\_\_\_

and I have read and I agree to the contest rules, and his/her entry is with my permission.

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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